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PRESS RELEASE

Inmate Death – Charles R. Derrickson

SMYRNA, DE-- An inmate at the Delaware Correctional Center (DCC) in Smyrna has died. 67-year-old Charles R. Derrickson, (DOB 04/06/1939) was pronounced dead Saturday Morning at 6:12 a.m. March 10, 2007 in the prison infirmary following a lengthy illness.

Derrickson, of Lewes, DE, was serving Life for Violation of Parole (Murder 1st Degree and Escape after Conviction). His sentence effective date was 04/21/2003.

Derrickson's body has been released to the State Medical Examiner's Office as is standard procedure. No foul play is suspected.